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To: House Bill No. **5521** File No. 408 Cal. No. 246

(As Amended)

"AN ACT CONCERNING SEARCH WARRANTS."

- 1 Strike section 11 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu
- 2 thereof:
- 3 "Sec. 11. (NEW) (Effective October 1, 2002, and in effect until October 1,
- 4 2004) (a) In any investigation conducted pursuant to sections 2 to 13,
- 5 inclusive, of this act, the Chief State's Attorney, a deputy chief state's

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attorney or a state's attorney may apply to a judge of the Superior Court for an order granting immunity from prosecution to any person whom the state calls or intends to call as a witness if the prosecuting official believes that the testimony of the person is necessary to the investigation of the case. If the court finds that the testimony of the person is necessary to the investigation, the court may grant the application for immunity. Such immunity shall provide that the person will not be prosecuted or subjected to any penalty or forfeiture (1) for or on account of any testimony given or evidence produced by such person, or for or on account of any evidence discovered as a result of or otherwise derived from testimony given or evidence produced by such person, or (2) for or on account of any transaction, matter or thing concerning which such person gives testimony or produces evidence. A person who receives immunity under this subsection shall not be immune from prosecution for perjury or contempt committed while giving such testimony or producing such property.

(b) No person who has been properly served with a subpoena pursuant to sections 2 to 13, inclusive, of this act and receives immunity under subsection (a) of this section, shall be excused from appearing and testifying or producing any property before the prosecuting official concerning an investigation pursuant to sections 2 to 13, inclusive, of this act upon the ground or for the reason that the testimony or property required of such person may tend to convict such person of a crime or subject such person to a penalty or forfeiture."

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